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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:  
Shigenobu NAKAMURA  
Serial No: 10/573,238  
Confirmation No.: 7219  
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For: MULTI-LAYER PIEZOELECTRIC  
ELEMENT

Art Unit: 2837  
Examiner: Jaydi A. San  
Martin

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 3, 2009, please consider the following remarks:

**Listing of Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**

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